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#### TAFT'S CERTAIN DEFEAT

fairly nominated at Chicago and revolt from the party as now insures its certain defeat, his election would be impossible for many other seasons.

In the first place, his whole administration has from the very first been squarely against the people and in favor of the Pred-tory Interests, in consequence of fairs than the enthusiastic devowhich he has been so totally retion to him and his interests pudiated by nearly two dozen Republican States that in both branches of Congress they have returned Democratic or Progressive members until the House has become largely Democratic and the Senate anti-Taft, not to NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH speak of some 20 standpat Senators whose support of his admintors whose support of his administration has cost them their the wife of a farmer living in Vance's seats. And the November elec-tions will surely bring fresh

smirched his administration. To Charles was missing. name but a few, the conspiracy in which his beloved Ballinger out of the barn for greater safety, the sought to hand over the rich boy had just led the animal out of the Alaskan coal fields to Morgan and Guggenheim, for which piece of rascality, when pitlessly exposed by Pinchot, Glavis and boy sought temporary shelter under an others, that scamp (whom Collier open wagon shed, where the rain and

lauded his venal secretary, and in the same silly letter, insulted his critics, the people

Again, Mr. Taft was an active the good Dr. Wiley, the people's and only desisted when alarmed at the universal execration sent till it looked more like a huge mud turtle the, beginning Mr. Taft has been was charlie badly scared and crying some a foe to the people's sacred cause of pure foods, drugs and drinks, making serious breaches in the lellow replied, "I just called on the Lord to protect me—and H: did!" So with all dope poisoners of the Nation's lies bad luck of wheat stacks burned, food and drink. To Mr. Taft personally belongs the doubtful be, and no doubt are, grateful for the honor of a decision in favor of larger mercies of their own lives, an the Whisky Trust that gave doctored whisky a free rein.

So, too, he has allowed the fraudulent saccharin to escape the law that meant to put tha fake drug "sugar" under the bar that in Europe has been placed upon it for over 10 years.

Again, Mr. Taft outraged the moral sentiments of millions of Christian people in both parties by sanctioning the indencency of his secretary Wilson's presiding at a Brewers' Convention.

The great Methodist Church at its late General Conference in Minneapolis, took the unprecedented action of denouncing by name both Wilson and the presi dent in scathing language for this act! This single circumstance would cause Taft's defeat next November, though in every other respect his candidacy were quite ing her mother, Mrs. W. Short, near town above reproach!

broken record of disaster for nearly four years, the corrupt "machine," that for years has been prostituting the Republican Party to serve the marauding Trusts, deliberately chose to renominate the author of it all, not with any expectation of electing him, but for the purpose of keeping the party machinery under their control in hopes later to Misses Mary and Ruth Hardesty are make it serve the Trusts again. And the better to work their true designs, these assassins of the party have driven every one of the dozen odd Progressives Bennett and wife, near town. of the dozen odd Progressives out of the National Committee, thus perfecting their plans for a new and even greater outrage upon the people four years hence spent Friday of last week with her par-time any party to Steal—which time any party to steal-which is very doubtful.

Does any honest Republican owe these pirates who have seized the party ship, any duty buccaneering purposes? We grounds by a big lot of professional think not. The rather, since the "boot-leggers" who came down from noble old craft has fallen into Wilmington, assisted, possibly, by some such piratical hands, all true Re-publicans should join the Pro fault of the camp meeting authorities, a gressives, in whom survives the ancient spirit of true Republi. under the influence of drink, though only

its unique wealth of war pic-tures. See our article thereon where the man is employed by him, went in this issue.

The Democracy of Delaware can do no wiser act than set one of Middletown's highly esteemed first citizens, Frederick Brady, at the head of their State ticket. His candidacy for Governor would confer an honor upon his party. Mr. Brady is more than one of Middletown's first citiens, he is preeminently one of Delaware's foremost citizens, warmly interested in, and actively promoting, all good causes there were no such serious, open looking to the uplift and better ment of the whole state.

But quite apart from the high regard in which Mr. Brady is held by all persons regardless of political views, in the community in which he lives, no finer tribute could be paid any man so fairs, than the enthusiastic devoshown by the large number of employees occupied in his various

enterprises. They who know

him best esteem him most.

Just before the hurricane broke o eight years old, to look after the chickens. After she had attended to them and gone Many grave scandals have back to the house, she discovered that

Thinking he had better turn his colt has brevetted "Shyster", daring him sue for libel) was glad to resign under fire.

muo pelted him so severely that he too at last rushed into the stable. Hardly had he gotten under its roof before a gust of wind totally demolished the And yet Mr. Taft effusively wagon shed he had just left, and blew its unded his yenal secretary, and ment roof 15 feet square fell close to the

Mr. Hurd accompanied by an older so hastened to the barn in search of the party to the scandalous plot of missing boy. The wind was so strong Wilson, McCabe, et al. to drive that they had to support themselves with the good Dr. Wiley, the people's sticks to prevent being blown to the Pure Food champion, out of office ground. Reaching the stable Mr. Hurd called for Charlie, and an object all spattered and plastered over with mud up by the outraged people. From than an eight year old boy, responded. It as he crouched in the dark corner of the rocking, storm swept stable.

When asked what he did, the little buildings destroyed, wind mill down and all that—Mr. and Mrs Hurd ought to specially for that of Charlie.

#### **CECILTON**

Mrs. R. A. Snyder was a Wilmingto sitor last Saturday. F. E Hover visited his sister, Mrs.

. Manlove on Sunday. Miss Leona Yates has been visiting friends in Chestertown, M.1.

Rev. G. L. Hardesty spent this we with friends at Seaford, Dei.

Miss Georgina Walmsley is visiting elatives in Chestertown, Md.

Miss Arrie McCoy has been visit Mrs. George Biddle, in Elkton. Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith and children

were Gaiena visitors on Sunday. Mr. George G. Morgan, Jr., has be

Misses Lelia Burke and Martha Bailey are spending a week in Philadelphia. Miss Pearl Short, of Townsend is visit

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith and children Full in the face of all this un spent Sunday with relatives near Earle-

Miss Bessie Culbertson is the guest of ner brothers, Mr. Harry Culbertson, in

Baltimore. Mr. John Benson and wife, of Philade phia, have been visiting Mr. Thomas P Jones and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Pearce and child ren, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. Albert Watts and wife.

visiting relatives and friends at Kant Island and Seaford, Del.

Misses Hilda and Agnes Ostrom have

returned home after spending so with relatives in Philadelphia. Mrs. Joseph Atwel', of near Worton

#### "Boot-leg" Whiskey

On Sunday during the Hamtown Campneeting, a large amount of whiskey was to countenance and aid their sold in various places away from the canism, to assist in scuttling it. | a few were so completely so as to warrant their arrest by the officers. Good order prevailed and but a few arrests were All parents should get for their children the "Civil War Through The Camera," being published in weekly parts for 10 cents each, by the Every Evening. It is a wonderful history both instructive and entertaining, with structive and entertaining, with the entertaining was price. his bail and the man was released

#### WARWICK

Miss Lidie Davis is visiting friends in

Mr. S. D. Wil-on and wife spent Su lay with her parents at Cecilton. Misses Blanch Wright and Ella Staat ere Wilmington visitors on Monday. Mr. Raymond Elderdice, of Philade

hia, spent Sunday with Miss Belle Hill. Preaching here Sunday morning at 0.30 A. M. Christian Endeavor at

Messrs. George Pierce and Henry Duryea were Betterton visitors Saturday

Mr. Vance Roberts, of Philadelphia, pending some time with Mr. Wm. Wi

Mrs. James Hughes is entertaining he anghter, Mrs. William Powell. of Wil Mrs. Urie Ginn and children, of Mt. Pleasant, were guests of Mrs. V. L. Vit.

ard, on Wednesday. The Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. R. B. Merritt, Jr., on Friday even ing last Quite an enjoyable evening

was spent by all. Master Amos Wilson met with quite a inful accident one day last week, when e was helping to unload cans at the rarehouse of R. B. Merritt & Son, when ne of the boxes sliped, striking him or he head, causing an awful cut. The lad me off very lucky, for if the cut had esulted in a very serious accident.

#### **NEW OPENING** Shoe Repairing

Old Shoes made like NEW

Men's Shoes 45c Ladies' Shoes 35c

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Hardware Stov Paints, Tin Roofing, Plumbing

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ESTATE of Estella Naudain, Deceased

otice is hereby given that Letters Testa-tentary upon the Estate of E-tella Nau-ain, late of Appoquinimink Hondred, ceased, were duly granted unto Horatio Willies and Merritt N. Wullits, Jr., on the Tenth day of July, A. D. 1912 and all resons indebted to the said deceased are the Tenth day of July, A. D. 1912 and persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Executors without delay, and all persons having decounts against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Executor on or before the Tenth day of July A. D. 1913, or abide by the law in this behalf.

Horstio N. Willits,

Merritt N. Willits, Jr.

Executor

Ex-entor.
Address, Merritt N. Willits, Jr., Cora
Exchange National Bank, 21 and Chestint Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

ESTATE OF James B. Baker de consed persons indebted to the said decreased to the appearance of the said series of the said decreased, were duly granted unto linam H. Bay less and George Harold Baknot the 11th day of June A.D. 1912 and persons indebted to the said decreased to make payment to the persons indebted to the said deceased e requested to make payment to the dministrators without delay, and all resens having demands against the deased are required to exhibit and present as a proper of the little of the said Adinistrators on or before the little day of June A. D. 1913, or abide by the law this behalf.

William H. Bayless, George Harold Baker Ancillary Administrator Address William H. Bayless, E-q. Fide lity Building, Bal imore, Md.

ESTATE OF Alexander Maxwell de ESTATE OF Alexander Maxwell deceased notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Alexander Maxwell late of St. Georges Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto James B. Messick on the 24th day of May A. D., 1912 and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Executor without delay and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Executor on or before the 24th day of May A. D. 1913, or abide by the law in his behalf.

his behalf. JAMES B. MESSICK, Executor Address Martin B. Burris, Ecq., \ttorney Law Middletown, Del.

Notice-Dividend

NEW CASTLE COUNTY, NATIONAL BANK Odessa, Del., July 3d, 1912. annual Dividend of THREE and ONE-HALF PER CENT, clear of taxes Payable on and after the 10th instant. JOS. G. BROWN, Cashier.

NOTICE-DIVIDEND!

THE PEOPLE'S NATIONAL BANK OF MIDDLETOWN of MIDDLETOWN,
MIDDLETOWN, Del, June 29th, 1912
The Board of Directors have this day
declared a dividend of THREE (3) PER
CENT for the last six months, payable on
and after Monday, July 1st, 1912 G. D. KELLEY, Cashier

NOTICE-DIVIDEND!

CITIZEN'S NATIONAL BANK Middletown, Delaware, July 2d, 1912
The Board of Directors have this day
declared a semi annual dividend of FOUR
(4) PER CENT clear of Taxes, payable
to the Stockholders on and after July 15,

JOHN S. CROUCH, Cashier

OF NEW CASTLE CO. Walter S. Burris

OF NEW CASTLE HUNDRED Subject to the decision of the Republi

1912 For Receiver of Taxes and County Treasurer Robert M. Burns ubject to the decision of the Repu can Primaries.

Eugene Racine AUCTIONEER

Middletown,

## # FEEEEEEEEEEEEE John Heldmyer, Jr.

Fancy and Staple Groceries FRESH AND SALT MEATS

Strictly Fresh EGG, - 19c and 21c Farmers' Creamery BUTTER, · 33c Hubers Famous King Midas Bread and Chesapeake Baking Company's Pound, Marbel and Fruit Cake

NOTE.—I pay the highest CASH prices for all Country Produce, and sell Strictly for Cash; allowing my customers 2 per cent. discount.

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Redgrave Bros. REV. HENRY G. BUDD, Principal.

Dover, Del

If you wish your horses to stand the heavy Summer work, give them

# SUCRENE Horse Feed

For Sale By

MIDDLETOWN FARMS, INC.

# Clearance Sale

### IS A BIG SUCCESS!

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KNEW it would be, for we are offering real Bargains in this Special July Sale, and the buying public KNOW we are, because they have learned that Fogel & Burstan always tell the exact truth about the goods they sell. So, already, with a week yet left, our July sales are far beyond those of last year!

Now why is our business thus increasing? Because we are doing that business upon the theory that the FULL CONFIDENCE of our customers in us and in the representations we make about the goods we sell, both in our re gular sales, and in these Special Sales, is the CHIEF cause of that success! And so it is.

Our Big Department Store is situated on one of the four best corners in Middletown; and is well stocked with first-class goods of every description; and to our business we bring health, experience, industry and ample capital-but all these are less important than this one Great Thing--the reputation we have earned as merchants who deal squarely with every customer, and tell the absolute truth in every sale we make, whether general or special. That's why our business is increasing so fast! Of course, we mean to stick to this same principle--we'd be fools not to. Remember, too, our guarantee goes with every sale, and when for any cause the customer desires it, we cheerfully refund the money or exchange the goods.

We still have many real Summer Bargains left in every one of the different lines of goods we are offering in this July Clearance Sale, and new ones are being added weekly, both from our own large stock, and from goods we're now buying from the manufacturers at these reduced prices.

#### Lot No. 1

A lot of Sample Silk Waists, most of them wash silks-in different colors and stripes; also Messalines and Pongees. All waists worth \$3.50, Special Price \$1.50

## Lot No. 2

All our \$1.50 and \$2.00 Waists in different styles—high and low neck. All sizes Special Price 98c

#### Lot No. 3

Infant's and Children's Socks. Fine White Lisle with fancy top, in stripes and plaids, of all colors. Regular price 15c and 19c pair, Special Price 121/2C

#### Lot No. 4

Men's Dress Shirts, made of good Percale, coat style, laundried cuffs, good pearl buttons, guaranteed full size. A good value at 75c,

# Special Price 50c

Lot No. 5 About 300 yards of fast colored Lawn in stripes, figures and bordered effects. All colors. Regular price 15c, Special Price 10c yd

#### Lot No. 6

A lot of Dresses in all sizes, styles and colors. Made of Linen, Lawn, Batiste, Swiss, Embroidery and Percale. Some one of a kind-others samples just bought—Good value at \$3.50 and \$5.00. Special Price \$1.98

## Lot No. 7

A lot of Linene Dusters. made of good quality Linen full 54 in. long, with shawl collar. Regular price \$2.50. Special Price \$1.98

#### Lot No. 8

A lot of Men's Onyx Silk Hose-All sizes in black, tan, navy blue, purple and grey. Regular Price 39c.

Special Price 25c

#### Lot No. 9

A lot of Ladies' Onyx Silk Hose, in black and white, regular \$1.50 value. Special Price \$1.00

Lot No. 10

A lot of Princess Slips, made of good quality long cloth, lace and embroidery trimmed

Special Price 98c

Regular price \$1.50.

Also Special Bargains in Men's, Ladies' and Children's Low Shoes. All our Millinery is reduced to 1-2. Also other Bargains which space does not permit us to mention.

# GEL & BURST

Department Store

Middletown,

Delaware

Thursdays, August 1 and 15

ROUND \$1.25 TRIP

SPECIAL THROUGH TRAIN

FROM MIDDLETOWN Thursday, August 8 and 22

ROUND \$1.25 TRIP SPECIAL THROUGH TRAIN

ROUND \$2.00 TRIP

Sunday, July 28, Tuesdays, August 6, 13 and 20

SPECIAL THROUGH TRAIN

For leaving time of Special Through Trains from all stations, Consult Hand Bills at Stations, or Ticket Agents

TICKETS GOOD ONLY ON SPECIAL TRAIN IN EACH DIRECTION

50 p. m. For Warwick, Cecilton and Earlville 9.20 a. n. and 4.45 p. m. MIDDLETOWN, DEL., JULY 27, 1912

LOCAL NEWS

Wagons and Dearborns for sale.
J. C. GREEN. The best steak, roasts, lamb and veal, at

FRESH and SALT FISH at my sto at all times.

Wagons and Dearborns for sale.
J. C. Green. Latest designs in Wall Paper at BANNINGS.

Glass Jars, Tin Cans, Preserving Ket-Redgrave Bros. Piano Tuner, Organ Repairer. Work

guaranteed.

MIDDLETOWN, DEL Try my own make ice cream, in large or small quantities. W. D. WILCUTTS. Fly Nets and Light Horse Covers.

Redgrave Bros 100,000 Celery Plants grown from bes imported seed. E. J. STEELE, Florist, Middletown, Del

HIDES WANTED.-The highest cash prices paid for horse and cow hides. W. C. Jones. FOR SALE-50,000 Celery Plants apply to A. K. Hopkins
East Lake Street, Middletown, Del.

Just received a large lot of Porch Rock ers and Bamboo Porch Screens. Call and see them. W. J. Wilson. see them. We have stored in our warehouse peach

and truck baskets in any quantity. For sale Yellow Cob Corn.
Phone 5 & 48. Jesse L. Shepherd. For anything you want in Harness, go

Redgrave Bros. FOR SALE-New Crimson Clover Seed \$5 bushel. Shipment about August 1st. JOSEPH E. HOLLAND

The best grades of William Penn an Georges Creek Coal always on hand. Full weight of 2240 lbs. guaranteed.

SHORT & WALLS LUMBER CO. Unclaimed Letters.-The following list of letters remains unclaimed in the pos office for the week ending July 18th Miss Mary Harris, Miss Lottie Lewis, H.

Teeth without plates, gold crowns and bridgework. The newest cast aluminum plates. Also gold and vulcanite dentures. Free Estimate. Dr. J. ALLEN JOHNSON

OUR HIGH GRADE LEHIGH COAL, FRESH MINED is now arriving at our yards sutject to your orders. Guaranteed free from Always in stock and under cover JE-SE L. SHEPHERD. After June first the Library hours will be; Tuesdays 7 to 8 30; Fridays 7 to 8 30;

Saturdays 3 to 5 P. M. NEW STORE-I wish to inform the public that I have secured the agency for the Grand Union Tea Co., and have rented the store room vactated by J. F. Cliff. I will keep at all times a full line of Teas and Coffees and also a large line of our premiums. B. F. GALLAGHER Agt.

The members of Peach Blossom Grange No. 3 are manifesting great interest in th Lodge Meeting which are held the firs and third Friday evenings of each month Topics of general interest as well as those by the lady and men members. The last prospect of the next one being even more

dyeing and cleaning establishment to be found in the East Scores of satisfied customers from last year can testify to the quality of the work. No gasoline smearing, but the finest steam scouring on all goods, Men's Suits, \$2.50, Trousers, 75 cents, Ladies' Stirts, \$1.50 up; Down cents, Larnes Quilts, \$1.50 and \$1.75. Robr. B. Jones

#### THE WATER QUESTION

After a full consideration of the whole matter, the Light and Water Com the water and light plant remain on its Mr. J. J. Shannahan to sink another 8

It was found that the cost of removal including the purchase of a new site, would exceed \$20,000. We believe the Commi n have made a wise decision. Work will soon be begun on the new well.

One of the big items of cost is that of the coal haulage from the railroad to the water works, which might be saved if the town owned a two-horse team and wagon Such a team and a man employed by the year, could haul all the gravel, cement and other materials used by the town, and uld also on wet days, scrape the streets near to and in the town-all of which work is now paid for. And it is capable of proof in figures that several hundred dollars could thus be saved to the town, over and above all the cost of wages for the man and the keep of the team, wear and tear &c. and interest on the few hundred dollars represented in the team and Town Board.

#### Annual Pic-nic

Forest Presbyterian Sunday School held Townsend. their annual picnic at Augustine Beach on Thursday. The children assembled at the church at 8 o, clock and filled six largs wagons. Besides Forest Sunday School, the Armstrong Chapel, the Summit Bridge Sunday School and the Methodist Sunday School of St. Georges, held their picnic on Thursday. A large but very orderly crowd came on the boat from Philadelphia. The day was all that could be desired after the rain on Wednesday, and fifteen gallons of fine ice cream made by I. A. Harmon of Harmon's Mills, satisfied the hunger of even the smallest boy and girl.

A Card to The Public

We understand that a stranger has been ool, the Armstrong Chapel, the Sum

We understand that a stranger has been going around the country claiming to make Foxel and Burstans Department store as his headquarters for making and selling eyeglasses etc. We wish to inform the public that all such representations are false and withous any authority from us.

FOGEL & BURSTAN.

#### WHEAT STACKS BURNED

use and the wind-mill.

The Sunday storm wrecked some Mr G. W. Hurd's buildings on his fare near McDonovgh and threw down the wind-mill. His loss was fully covered by ornado insurance in the Chester County Pa., Insurance Company—all save the

On Monday, with her usual promptne n business affairs, Miss Eugenia Beasten who is the Middletown agent both for the Reading Fire Insurance Company, and drove over to Mr. Hurd's farm to see the storm. She had only left the farn of the four big wheat stacks on Mr. Hurd's farm, and masmuch. as they could get no water from the broken wind-mill save the stacks, all of which burned up. sing a loss of several thousand dollar also fully covered by insurance except as the straw, some \$200.00 in value. Mrs. Hurd said the lightning flashes were quent and blinding, though in Middle ere was but little. It is thought that uring the fearful play of lightning that narked the storm, a bolt struck one of the tacks at the top and running down brough the center passed off into the and, and on its way started a slight ire which after smoldering for about 20 ours, buret into flames on Monday. ortunately the wind carried the blaze away from the stable or it might possibly

have burned, although the stack was a ood distance off. The incident shows the wisdom of rmers keeping a watch for at least a day ver their wheat stacks, after severe ightning storms, especially where it nown that something in the vicinity has

Now that so much timber has been cut off on this Peninsula, more frequent and ore severe wind storms may be looked or, and hence every farmer should take out ample tornado insurance just as he does fire insurance.

#### THE HAMTOWN CAMP

It is said that 3,000 people visited the olored campmeeting in Hamtown on the ccasion known as the 'Big Sunday." Good order prevailed, and but for the chameful i licit liquor sell ng elsewhere, probably even the few arrests necesser uld not have been made.

After several showers, the big story oon, and the fury of wind and rain tors tops of several buggies wrecked then ople crowded into the church for she er; horses were frightened, eating booths erturned, dishes broken and food los and pandemonium reigned generally An auto bus from out of town, knocked a wheel off a carriage, throwing a woman

out and breaking her leg.
An amusing incident marked the storn at its height. The outside preaching tent was partly unroofed, and the terrified women and children rushed into the church. Some one said the newspapers had foretold it would rain for 40 days the badly scared women began to vell end!" The din they made could be hear for blocks away. Strange to say, in all the confusion but few persons were in

#### MR. BRADY A CANDIDATE

Mr. Frederick Brady has and Democratic nomination for Governor the matter, and only at the urging of many prominent men, both Democrats and Republicane, has he consented to allow the use of his name for the nor nation. Mr. Brady is deeply sensitive the responsibility should be be successful, but it is another clear case of calling "the business man to politics." His interests are many, his system and methods enabling him to devote his attention most of the People's National Bank here, a member of the Middletown Academy Board, a director of the Odessa Loan Asafter, the hight and trader concluded to let a Wutual Fire lusurance Co., of Wilming ton water and light plant remain on its ton, vice-president of the Delaware State Trust and Safe Deposit Co., and Farmers nt site, and to make a contract with Fair Association, a member of the State Board of Education, master of Peach inch well on the north end of the present Blossom Grange, Patrons of Husbandry town Farms, Inc.

#### PLEASANT HOUSE PARTY

During the week beginning July 16th Miss Ethelwyn Maloney entertained a number of guests at a house party, at her home in Townsend. Many pieasand events were arranged for the week, in cluding dancing, boating parties, lawn parties, which seemed to transform the quiet little town into a scene of gayetv and pleasure, in which all participated with zest. Those who enjoyed Miss

Maloney's hospitality were:
Misses Arrilee Lattomus, of Townsend Elsie Wright, of Newark; Inez Noble, Preston, Md.; Helen Audrews, Hurlock, Md. Mabel Lattomus, Washington, D.C. Marjorie Thatcher, New Haven, Con cut: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Webb, Fores wargon. The Transcript offers this as Del.; Robert Anderson, Cecilton, Md. matter for further consideration by the Mr. Peyton Patterson, Perryville, Md. Mr. Charles J. Schaefer, Delaware City Mr. Martin Lee, Mr. Finley Scott, Mr. Archie Finley and Mr. Hart Scott, of

#### Entertained Their Friends

Little Misses Marion and Katherine Armstrong entertained a number of their

#### Bethesda Church Notes

Rev. V. S. Colfins will occupy his pulpit next Sunday morning and evening. Sunday school, Sunday morning at 9,30.
Brotterhood meeting Sunday evening at 6 30 Mr. J. H. Emerson leader, Prayer meeting every Wedneeday at 7.45.

The sunday school, Sunday morning at 9,30.
Brotterhood meeting Sunday evening at 6 30 Mr. J. H. Emerson leader, Prayer does value it above human life.

The sunday school, Sunday morning at 9,30.
Brotterhood meeting Sunday evening are not to be balanced against the beings are not to be balanced against the dozens.

The score by innings:

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#### **OUR FRIENDS AND VISITORS** Personal Items About People You

See and Know Mr. C.P. Cochran was at Bridge

week at Ocean City, N. J. G. Harold Baker, of Aberdeen, Md.,

was a visitor in town this week. Mrs. Mariah Jones and daughter, Elsie spent Monday in Philadelphia. Mr. C. A. Taylor, of Kenton, was the

Miss Lizabelle Turner, of Baden, Md., s the guest of Miss Blanche Deakyne. Miss Miriam Berkman is spending se Miss Hester Jones will go to Squirre Cant. W. E. Lee is spending several days

Mrs. W. K. Lockwood has been ill for street.

Mrs. Addie Stanton, of Smyrns pent Wednesday with Mrs. Frank Gal

Miss Vic Power, of Millington, Md., is friends. Mrs. Mary Bensinger, of Phi'adelphia

Webers. Miss Cassie Mariner, of Philadelphia, is

Miss Lillian Hart, of Townsend, is visit-

Misses May C. and Agnes Green, Agnes Crawley.

Miss Mary B. Nowland was entertain riends in Laurel. Mrs. Oscar Goodhand and children, o

New York City, are visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Biggs. Miss Louise Fortner, of Smyrna,

nding some time with her aunt Mrs. Frank Gallagher. Miss Anna Dickinson, of Wilmington pent several days with Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Margaret Dunn, of Smyrns, was Miss Jean Metten. Mrs. Paul Gillis, of Wilmington,

George Dickinson.

spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Northrup. Mr. R. R. Cochran was the guest of Mr.

John P. McIntyre in Sweedsboro, N. J. Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. William R. Cochran has gone t Media, Pa., where she will spend the re-

nainder of the summer. Mrs. Ella Penington, of Philadelphia nas been spending a few days in town Mr. Richard L. Donohue, of Oak Grov

spent Saturday and Sunday with his par ents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Donohue. Mrs. oseph Mi'ler an l little child, Dover, is spending several days with he parents Mr. and Mrs. William Pearce Jr. Mr. and Mrs. George Janvier, Miss Nellie Janvier and Miss Helen Mevers were Betterton, Md., visitors last Sunday

Mrs Liston Deshiel and two children

Saturday from a visit at Swedesboro, M

Miss El-ie Davidson, who has been pending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J

Mrs. I. H. Fleetwood, Miss Ada and Master Henry Fleetwood, of Waverley, Va., were over Sunday visitors of Mr nd Mrs. E. G. Allee.

Emory Hukill, Ben Biggs, George Hu kill and James Lockwood are on a three weeks cruise on the Chesapeake Bay, in the Hukill motor boat.

Miss Edith Gillmore and Miss May Collins, of Boston, Mass., who have been Crawley, have returned home.

ing for Bar Harbor, Maine, where they

Mrs. Eli Lilly, of Indianapolis Tuesday with Dr. and Mis. J.A. John Mrs. Lilly is on her way to Watch Hill, Rd., where she will spend the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip W. Jenkins, Master Glancy and little daughter, Agnes and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis F. Millman, of Woodside, were Sunday visitors of Mrs

Mr. M. N. Willits and daughters Misses Laura and C'ara, Mrs. Joseph Briffith and Miss Lydia Cochran returned on Thursday after spending a week at cean City, N. J.

Dr. and Mrs. V. S. Collins who have been spending several weeks in Florida, returned home Thursday evening. Dr. Collins reports a pleasant trip, and shows the marks of his Summer outing.

Miss Helen Z. Davis, of Sassafras, Md. company with Mrs. George Kennedy and Miss Nellie Kennedy, of Camden, N J., is spending sou e time at Niagara Falls Watkins Glen, Toronto, Canada, and ther points of interest.

Bitten By a Vicious Dog On Wednesday morning as Mr. Willia

Gallagher was walking on Broad street with a voung son of Mr. Murganstein he playfully took hold of his compan whereupon a large dog accompaning the latter, sprang viciously upon him and bit him severely on the thigh, the teeth of the brute passing clean through two thicknesses of clothing and making an ugly wound, Dr. E. G. Clark canterized the wound. This dog is said to have the wound. This dog is said to have is spending a month with her parents, attacked others, and a request has been Mr. Amos E. Davidson and wife. made by Mr. Gallagher of the town authorities that the animal be ordered killed and his head sent to the Labora tory at Newark for examination as to the possibility of rabies.

ch as several dogs exhibited rabies this winter here, and furthermore destroyed all buildings on the Smithers as the seeds of this awful disease some property along the Bohemia River, now times lie undeveloped for several mouths.

Mr. Gallagher feels that there should be no risk run in the matter. There are Joseph Steel property on Bohemia Manor, other dogs that have the habit of run- tenated by A. J. Bouchelle, the hay bar ning at persons and teams, and it is an rack, ice house, several implements and

#### HURRICANE OF WIND AND RAIN Wide-Spread Damage Done Farm

Buildings and Crops

Since 1880 there has been no such to Thursday.

Miss Estelle Beasten is spending the that of Sunday last. The damage fo farm buildings, fences, crops and trees was very general, though unequal, from Dover up to Wilmington. Several showers had marked the day, until about 5 o'clock P. M., when the brief return of the sun shine was followed by clouds which in the west grew very dark. On a sudden the wind from the west began to roar, and the rain poured down in torrents. The force of the wind in places in the country was very great, though it did not strike slight damage beyond topping a few trees Island, Maine, for a stay of several weeks. and blowing down a few old and weakened ones. The wind storm seemed to proceed in forks, lines of greater destruc onbeing shown, wherein some farms were tween far less damage was done. Scores of farmers suffered more or les

ninry to buildings or crops. The follow-

ing are some of the most notable in ces. On Mr.J. Cowgill Alston's farm wrecked, his apple orchard stripped, the pending a week in town and visiting old tops of his wheat stacks blown off and encing leveled. To quote his own words, "Things looked more like a wilderness than a farm!" Mr. Patrick Maloney on the W. P. Biggs farm had several buildings blown down. Mr. Maxey Bland or the Maxwell farm, had some 17 big trees blown down, both shade and apple trees. One large tree nearby, was uprooted and fell only a few feet away from the house itself, smashing the fence. Two fine fields of corn were laid flat, and the blades of the taller stalks whipt into ribbons, and the wheat shocks uncapped and blown er's field exposed to that fearful storm. the wind, Mr. Bland says a big hickory tree on his line fence to the west, was twisted at the trunk as though it had been a mere sapling! On one of the Cazier farms above the canal, occupied by Mr Thomas Clay, the barn and sheds were blown down; on another place farmed by Mr. Samuel Austen, several building were demolished. Mr. Isaac T. Shaw, on Mr. J. B. Foards place near Pivot Bridge, had all the windows in his house blown in, and only a stout silver maple in front of the dwelling, saved it from being de stroyed. On Dr. E. G. Clark's farm on Bohemia River, tenanted by Mr. Richar H. White, one-half the barn was unroofed and a gable end knocked out, and wagon sheds and fences blown down. An old brick dwelling house. built of bricks brought from England over 200 years ago was partly blown down. Mr. Boulden on Dr. Draper's farm near Middletown had a number, of buildings damaged, as also did Mr. Walker on his place near St. leorges. On the Stites farm near Murpheys Mill, Mr. Burton Donovan suffered pretty severely in buildings and fences &c. On Mr. F. J. Penington's farm near

> Pleasant, was severely hit. Big trees were but a few minutes before Mr. Julian Cleaver's automobile was standing. In Odessa the trees lining Main str were so largely shorn of their limbs that it was impossible to drive though the having the smoke stack and part of the street, or for the same reason, to reach the wharf where the steamer Clio was

Odessa, large trees were uprooted and

ome buildings blown down. Near Arm-

strongs, on the Nowland farm, a newly

The farm of Mr. James Warren near Mt.

built wagon shed was totally destroye

It is said the damage done towards the West, in Maryland whence the store came, was even more severe than here in trunks twisted off like bushes, houses on the Bohemia River blown into kindling wood-wheat shocks scattered over the fields and corn laid flat on the ground. The most serious damage is that done to the crops, especially to the corn, for though the leveled stocks have partly risen again, the blades whipt into strings spending several days with Miss Agnes mean a permanent injury to the growing Crawley, have returned home.

Mrs. M. A. Hall, Rev. and Mrs. F. H. shortage of 20 bushels to the acre on that account alone.

#### CHESAPEAKE CITY

Miss Lonie Queck is visiting relatives Mr. Milton Titloer, of Baltimore,

visiting relatives in and near town. Miss Stella M. Bishop is spending so

time with relatives at Cambridge, Md. Misses May and Helen Davidson as attending camp meeting at Camden, Del. Mrs. James Vaughan is spending a

month with her daughter, in Wilming-Mrs. William Brown, Misses Edythe and Edna Brown spent Tuesday at Bet-

Miss Dorothy Ellison, of Wilmington ent this week with her cousin, Margaret

Miss Mamie Boulden, of Havre de Grace, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Eugene

Messrs. Howard Brown and Leroy Cloomer spent Wednesday and Thursday,

Brooklyn, N. Y., spent Tuesday with friends in town. Mr. John Beiswanger and wife, of New York City, are the guests of his mother,

Mrs. John Beiswanger. Misses Frances and Mary Hoen, of Bal timore, are spending a month with the Misses Bouchelle on the Manor.

Miss Anna Davidson, of Philadelphia.

Mr. Tom Kibler, of Philadelphia, who decites, is at the home of his brother. Mr. Harry Kibler.

The storm in this vicinity on Sunday

#### **ODESSA**

May Enos spent last week with relatives in Wilmington. Mr. Leslie Morgan visited Chester and

Atlantic City this week. Miss Georgia Enos, of Wilmington ent Sunday with her parents here.

Miss Laura Hutchinson, of Smyrna, he guest of Miss Anna May Berry Miss Ethel Mailly was the guest

Wilmington friends part of this week. Mr. Pierce Berry, of Wilmington visited is mother, Mrs. A. Berry on Monday.

Miss Anna Downs, of Delaware City, was the guest of Miss Ethel Plummer last

Miss Laura Hann, of Swedesboro, N. , is the guest of Miss Ethel Webb this Mr. Samuel Warren, of Bridgeton, N.

Mrs. Sophia McGee and sister, Mis rancis Heller are spending a few days

in Wilmington. Mrs. Lidie Woodal, of Washington, D. ., was entertained at the home of Mr.

Mr. Frank Gremminger has been spend and Delanco, N. J.

Mrs. James A. Melvin, of Baltimore, is pending some time with her mother, Mrs. Dorothy Gilch. Miss Ethel Webb, of Philadelphia, i ending the week with her parents, Mr.

G. Webb and wite. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Heldmyer are entertaining her brother, Mr. John Elser and wife, of Philadelphia,

Mrs. C. Reynolds and family enterained Mr. Lee Reynolds and wife of Kirkwood on Sunday.

Captain and Mrs. H. V. Woodal are tertaining Mrs. Ida Schofield and little daughter, Virginia, of Baltimore.

Mrs. C. H. Thornton, of Philadelphia has been spending some time with Mr. E. N. Moore and family, near town. Mrs. Frank Valentine, of Chester, i

spending this week with her grandpan ents, Mr. John Morris and wife, Mr. Boyd Thornton, of near Wilming on, visited his parents, Mr. David

Miss Julia Wells is visiting relatives in Mr. Roy Knox, wife and daughters Myrtle and Hazel, of Bridgeton, are th Mr. G. Naylor was an over Sunday guests of Mr. Wm. Greminger and wife sitor with relatives in town. Miss Martha Ennis, of Smyrna, sper

Miss May Gremminger and brother George, of Jessey City, are the guests o Misses Dorothy and Edyth Sparklin

who have been spending some time with relatives at Wye Mills have returned Mr. and Mrs. Willard Spicer had a their guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cleaver and son, Chance, of Wi:nington, and Mrs. Dutton and daughter

Miss Lena, of Middletown A terrific storm of wind and rain passe brough this vicinity on Sunday evening last, doing much damage. Large tre were uprooted and the roads through the town were blocked with the limbs and podies of trees, many teams, which were eanght in the storm were damaged. The Odessa Creamery also suffered damage by fire room blown down.

#### PORT PENN

Mrs. Susan Dalbow is entertaining be aughter, Miss Reba of Philadelphia. Mr. Wal er Bradley, of Philadelphia

s spending a week with D. W. Conard, Mrs. Margaret Powell, of Wilmington Cordery, at Augustine Beach. Miss Eva Davis of Philadelphia, in

pending a week as the guest of Misa Mrs. Chas N. McMunn is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Harry Heal a

Delaware City.

Misses Mary and Lolita Wilson, of George Atwell, of Stillpond, Md. Newark, Del., are the guest of their siste

Mrs. John Wallen is entertaining week her sister, Mrs. Kelly and Miss Jennie Lerrigan of Wilmington. Mrs. George Webb entertained on Sun

day, her daughter, Mrs. George Roemer of Odessa, and some Philadelphia friends The cyclone on Sunday evening did nsiderable damage in the village and cignity and a Mr. Cornelins Conard and aughter, Miss Ollie, and Mrs. B. W Yearsley, who were out in a launch made a very narrow escape. Their boat nearly eapsized during the awful ga'e, but they

were rescued by a party in a yacht, who

were anchored near by.

"Chewing The Pudding String"

What's the use of braggin'? What's the use of naggin'? This old proverb means that you can always tell a fine, toothsome puddingthe delicious, old fashioned kind on others boiled in a bag by "chewing the What's the use of grievin's string"! Well, that's how the buying public in great numbers have already ound out that the July Bargain Sale of Fogel & Burstan's is the real thingourself and read their ad, in this week's Pranscript. close during July and

#### Conwell for Governor

According to a report in circulation in political circles this week, the Republican organization practically decided upon Dr. Luther S. Conwell, of Camden, for guberexcept on Satur= atorial honors, and it is expected that some definite announcement will be forthoming in a few days. It is said that the organization has decided to get back of Dr. Conwell, and it is

the man to heal whatever factional differ ence exists. Odessa 13; Middletown, 3.

also said the leaders feel that he will b

MIDDLETOWN GRAIN MARKET The much talked of ball game betwee he married men of Odessa and the Midlletown benedicts was played on Saturday afternoon on the new diamond of the locals, and from the start was all one-CORRECTED WEEKLY BY W. T. CON 

#### OUR CONTEST CLOSING

Only Two More Working Days Left-The Contestants are Hustling

On Monday evening at 8 o'clock, our Piano Contest closes. Votes will be re-ceived up to that hour, but at 8 o'clock sharp, the ballot box will be closed, and positively no votes can be placed therein, after that time.

Two days yet remain, in which work may be done by any one of a dozen or more of the contestants, which will decide to whom the big prize-the Piano-

No one has a sinch on the Piano at this time, and it will possibly turn on the work done in these last two days. Then let every contestant pull the throutle out let every contestant pull the throatle out to the last inch, and use every ounce of HIGH STREET, steam they have.

Then besides the Piano; there are 12 other premiums, one \$25 premium, and Mrs. Rosa Weber J., is spending part of the week with the extra work done in these last two days may make a number of changes i

ICE CREAM, WATER " Elsie Byron..... Mrs. Edward G. Armstrong.... Miss Eva Bendler.... Hattie Cochran.... Lydia Redgrave... Catherine Beasten Francis Beasten ... Pearl Rauch...... Anna May Berry

" Ada Scott .....

TOWNSEND

anday with Miss Mildred Wells

Master Irving Hart, is visiting his Aug

Mrs. J. D. Niles is spending some tim

with relatives and friends at Wellshore

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f Philadelphia, spent Tuesday with Di

Miss Mary Jester, of Delaware City, i

Miss. Percilla Sandworth, of Wilming

on, is spending this week with Miss

Miss Mildred Gipn, of Greensboro Md

isited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Finley, of Phila-lelphia, have been visiting Mr. Walter

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Arnett, of Wil-

ington, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Lillian Hart has returned home.

after spending some time with Miss Wright at Aberdeen, Md.

Mrs. J. H. Beauchamp and daughters.

Mrs. Mollie Hart and Mrs. J. A. Hart,

Mr. Martin Lee returned to his hom

n Philadelphia, on Sunday after spending

week with his mother, Mrs. Maggie Lee

Mr. Walter Bolton were guests of Mr.

and Mrs. J. C. Hutchison, Jr., of nea

Mr. and Mrs. George Stant have had a

their guests for the three past weeks, the Misses Buelah and Emuine Cavendor,

Keep Cheerful all the Time

Misses Lillan West, Anna Jones and

of Perryville, is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reynolds.

inn over Sunday.

E. Fiart and family.

Daniel Richardson

Smyrna

of Baltimore, Md.

Taint no use to hurry.

What's the use of fussin?

What's the use of cussin?

When it's just as easy fer to smile?

You're only wastin' of your steam

Things ain't always as bad as they seem.

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31; Adirondacks, July 31; Moskoka
Lakes, August I; Quebec, August 7;
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\$7.50 Suits All Worted fancy blues and all wool Grey Cheviots in regular sizes.

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Middletown, Delaware \*\*\*\*\*\* air:

her impatient eyes looked

est. Which way should she go? Irresolutely she turned in the directi

seaward. Not until she had reached

that extreme projection of land, where

draw rein. Saladin stopped, albeit

with protest, tossing his great head.

"You might as well make an end of that, sir!" said the girl, and, springing from the saddle, deftly secured him. Then turning her back toward

the Mount, a shadowy pyramid in the distance, she seated herself in the grass with her eyes to the woods.

Not long, however, did my lady re

main thus; soon rising, she walked toward the shadowy depths. At the verge she paused; her brows grew thoughtful; what was it the woods

recalled? Suddenly, she remembered—a boy she had met the night she left for school so long ago, had told her he lived in them. She recalled,

too, as a child how the woman, Marie

who had been maid to her mother, had tried to frighten her about that sequestered domain, with tales of fierce wild animals and unearthly

creatures, visible and invisible, that

She had no fear now, though faint

jewels to the earth, lured her on to

The moment passed: still she lin

gered. Around the Mount's high top, her own home, only transcendent si-lence reigned; here was she surround-

ed by babbling voices and all manner

isfied appearing green monster who

regarded her amicably from a niche

A Butterfly, Poised and Waving Its

Wings, Held Her for a Long Time

vaving its wings, held her a long

had become sunless. At the same time

up, she stood for a moment listening:

Near the verge of the sand, Saladin

white-a veil, perhaps, dropped fron

then walked away.

mind that-

quering, if-

CHAPTER VII.

A Distant Menace.

But guests come and guests go;
pastimes draw to a close, and the our arrives when the curtain falls on the masque. The friends of my lady, however reluctantly, were obliged at last to forgo further holiday-making, depart from the Mount, and return to the court. An imposing cavalcade, gleaming in crimson and gold, they wended down the dark laughing ladies, pranked-ou cavaliers who waved their perfumed hands with farewell kisses to the grim stronghold in the desert, late their palace of pleasure, and to the

young mistress thereof.
"Good-by, Elise!" The marquis was

He took her hand; held it to his lips. On the whole, he was not ill-pleased. His wooing had apparently prospered, for, although the marriage had been long arranged, my lady's beauty and capriciousness had fanned in him the desire to appear a success-ful suitor for her heart as well as her hand. If sometimes she laughed and thus failed to receive his delicate gallantries in the mood in which they were tendered, the marquis' vanity only allowed him to conclude that a an does not laugh if she is displeased. It was enough that she found him diverting; he served her; they were friends and had danced and ridden through the spring days in amicable fashion.

"Good-by," he repeated. "When

are you coming to court again? The queen is sure to ask. I understand her majesty is planning all manner of brilliant entertainments, yet Ver-sailles—without you, Elise!"

"Me?" arching her finely penciled brows. "Oh, I'm thinking of staying here, becoming a nun, and restoring the Mount to its old religious pres "Then I'll come back a monk," he

the cause of the seeming enchant ment—a tiny waterwall! returned in the same tone.
"If you come back at all!" provokingly. "There, go! The others will soon be out of sight!"
"I, too—alas, Elise!"

He touched his horse; rode on, but soon looked back to where, against a great, grim wall, stood a figure all in white gleaming in the sunshine. The marguis stopped; drew from his The marquis stopped; drew from his breast a deep red rose, and, gazing upward, gracefully kissed the glowing token. Beneath the aureole of golden hair my lady's proud face rewarded him with a faint smile, and something—a tiny handkerchief—fluttered like a dove above the frowning, timeworn rock. At that, with the eloquent resture of a troubedour, he threw gesture of a troubadour, he threw his arm backward, as if to launch the impress on the rose to the crimson lips of the girl, and then, plying his spurs, galloped off.

And as he went at a pace, head-long if not dangerous and fitting the exigencies of the moment, my lord smiled. Truly had he presented a per fect, dainty and gallant figure for any woman's eyes, and the Lady Elise, he fancied, was not the least discerning of her sex. And had he seen the girl, when an unkind angle of the wall hid him from sight, his own nice estimate of the situation would have suffered no change. The Mount, which for merly had resounded to the life and merriment of the people from the court, on a sudden to her looked cold, barren, empty.

"Heigh-ho!" she murmured, stretching her arms toward that point where he—they—had vanished. "I shall die of ennui, I am sure!" And thoughtfully retraced her steps to her own

But she did not long stay there; by way of makeshift for galety, sub-stituted activity. The Mount, full of early recollections and treasure-house vstery, furnished an incentive for exploration, and for several days she devoted herself to its study; now pausing for an instant's contemplation of a sculptured thing of beauty, then before some closed door that held her as at the threshold of a Bluebeard's

One day, such a door stood open and her curiosity became cured. She had passed beneath a machicolated gateway, and climbing a stairway gateway, and climbing a stairway that began in a watch-tower, found herself unexpectedly on a great platform. Here several men, unkempt, pale, like creatures from another world, were walking to and fro; but at sight of her, an order was issued and they vanished through a trap— all save one, a misshapen dwarf who remained to shut the iron door, adfust the fastening and turn a ponder

"Why did you do that?" she asked

"The governor's orders," said the man, bowing hideously. "They are to see no one."

hear? At once!"

sgan to unlock the door,

sgan to unlock the door,

the rock waned; the Mount seemed
but a prison; she, herself, desired
only to escape from it.

only to escape from it.

"Have my saddle put on Saladin," she salid to Beppo the next day, toward the end of a long afternoon.
"Very well, my lady. Who accompanies your ladyship?"

"No one!" With slight emphasis.
"I ride alone."

Beppo discretely suppressed his surprise. "Is your ladyship going far?"
If so, I beg to remind that tonight is the change of the moon, and the 'grand," ne't the 'little' tide may be coming in."

I was already aware of it, and shall intervening projection of land, the horse rushed.

"I was already aware of it, and snail keep between the Mount and the shore. Have my horse sent to the upper gate," she added, and soon after stories the fishermen told of this neighboring coast; of the sands that

The town was astir, and many often shifted here, setting pitfalls for looked after her as she passed; not the unwary. She saw the sky grow kindly, but with the varying expressions she had of late begun to notice. slons she had of late begun to notice, Again was she cognizant of that feeling of secret antagonism, even from these people whose houses clung to the very foundations of her own abode, and her lips set tightly. Why did they hate her? What right had they to hate her? A sensation, almost of relief, came over her, when passing through the massive, feudal gate, she found herself on the beach.

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long speed now showed signs of diminishing; he clipped and tossed the sand less vigorously, and looked around at his mistress with wild, un-easy eyes. Again she spoke to him; pulled with all her strength at the

riveted her attention! It seemed to grow broader; to acquire an intangible movement of its own; at the same time to give out a sound—a strange, low droning that filled the air. Heard for the first time, a stranger at the Mount would have found it inexplicable; to the Governor's daughter, the brave of you—"

Its eamed to was rushing in—tasing in—tasing in—tasing in low without; a was right upon me!"

She looked again toward the pockets into which his hands were thrust; observed his shirt, torn at the shoulder; then arose unsteadily. "I know—it was not so easy!" she said. "It was brave of you—"

Its eamed to was rushing in—tasing in—tasing in low to make the control of the door; fung it open. "It still the dor, if the door; fung it open. "It seemed to great the tastes ings of the door; fung it open. "It seemed to great the control of the door; fung it open. "It should find you here, Seigneur!" exclaimed a motomer and the speaker stopped; caught sight of my lady, just beyond, in the fading brave of you—" able; to the Governor's daughter, the enacing cadence left no room for ripples of the sand; a calm, almost unnatural, seemed to wrap the world in its embrace. The girl breathed deeper, feeling the closeness of the oubt as to its origin.

The girl's cheek paled; her gaze

The girl's cheek pated; her gaze swung in the opposite direction, to-ward the point of land, now so distant. Could they reach it? She did not believe they could; indeed, the "grand" tide coming up behind on the around; scanned the shore; to the left, low and flat—to the right, marked by the dark fringe of a fortrempled. Yet must they try, she thought, and had tightened the reins to turn, when looking ahead once more, she discerned a break in the forbidding cliffs of the little island of Casque, and, back of the fissure, a shining spot which marks.

At the same time, the man reached forward quickly and caught her. A moment was she conscious of a firm grasp; a dark, anxious gaze bent upon her; then, slid gently back to the stone seat.

A brief interval. separating her from the land was soon covered; but still she continued to follow the shore, swinging around and out toward a point some distance

A moment she hesitated; what should she do? Ride toward the isle and the white danger, or toward the point of mainland and from it? Either alternative was a desperate one, but the isle lay much nearer; and quickly, the brown eyes gleaming with sudden courage, she decided; touched her horse and pressed him forward. But fast as she went the "grand"

But fast as she went the "grand" tide came faster; struck with a loud, menacing sound the seaward side of the isle and swung hungrily around. My lady cast over her shoulder a quick glance; the cove, however, was near; only a line of small rocks, juting from the sand, separated her from it. If they could but pass, she thought; they had passed she told hought: they had passed, she told herself joyfully, when of a sudden the horse stumbled; fell. Thrown violent-ly from his back, a moment was she cognizant of a deafening roar; a riotous advance of foam; above, a hundred birds that screamed distractedly; then all these sounds mingled; darkness succeeded, and she remembere

CHAPTER VIII.

rustlings and a pulsation of sound held her listening. Then, through the leafy interstice, a gleaming and flash-ing, as if some one were throwing The Old Watch-Tower. A wall! A window—a prison-like interior! As her eyes opened, the Governor's daughter strove confusedly to decipher her surroundings. The wall seemed real; the narrow window, too, high above, framing, against a darkening background, a slant of fine rain! Again she closed her eyes, only of merry creatures—lively little squir-rels; winged insects, romping in the twilight shade; a portly and well-satto be conscious of a gentle languor; a heaviness like that of half-sleep; of bodily heat, and also a little bodily pain. For an indefinite period, really a moment or two, she resigned herself to that dreamy torpor; then, with an effort, lifted her lashes once more. green. A butterfly, poised and

As she gazed before her, something right seemed leaping back and forth; flame—that played on the wall; re-ealing the joints between the stones of massive masonry; casting shadows, but to wipe them out; paling near a small window, the only aperture ap-parent in the cell-like place. Turning from the flickerings, her glance quicky sought their source-a fire in earth, before which she lay-or half-

sat, propped against a stone.

But why? The spot was strange; in er ears sounded a buzzing, like the nurmur of a waterfall. She remem-ered now; she had lingered before me—in the woods; and Saladin had rur, away, madly, across the sands,

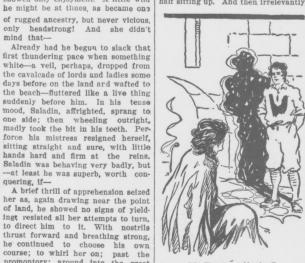
her brow: abruptly let it fall. In the shadow on the other side of the hearth some one moved; some one who had een watching her and who now stepped out into the light.

"Are you better?" said a voice.
She stared. On the bold, swarthy eatures of a young man now standing and looking down at her, the light flared and gleamed; the open shirt re-vealed a muscular throat; the down-turned black eyes were steady, solicitby the wood growing darker. Raising her eyes, she saw through the green foliage overhead that the bright sky turned black eyes were steady, soncit-ous. His appearance was unexpected, yet not quite strange; she had seen him before, but, in the general sur-prise and perplexity of the moment, did not ask herself where. The interbling detonation, faint, far-off, broke in upon the whisperings and inklings of that wood nook. Getting val between what she last remembered on the beach—the rush and swirl of water—and what she woke to, absorbed the hazy workings of her

mind. The young man stopped; stirred the fire, and after a pause, apparently to give her time to collect her thoughts, fairly seated before starting back at a rapid gate along the shore. But the girl offered no protest; her face showed only enjoyment. A little wild showed only enjoyment. A little wild have been worse," he added, in the tones intended to reassure her. "After all, it was only a horse." "Only a horse!" she exclaimed indignantly. "But, I suppose you can't understand—caring for a horse!" and after a pause, apparently to give her time to collect her thoughts, the pause of the collection o

girl offered no protest; her face showed only enjoyment. A little wild he might be at times, as became on?

"Oh, yes," she said, with an effort, half sitting up. And then irrelevantly,



"At Times-a Hunter."

with rather a wild glance about her: "Isn't—isn't it storming outside?"

"A little—not much—" A smile rossed the dark features.
"I remember," she added, as if forcegun to on the beach, when it—the grand' tide—" The words died away; mechanically she lifted her hand, brushed back the shiping ways.

"Why think of it now?" he interosed gently.
"But," uncertainly she smoothed her

He thrust them into his pockets.
"Was it from the rocks—and the waves? How did I get here?" "Oh, I was standing on the cliff," he

answered carelessly, "and—saw your horse running away!"
"You did? And then—came down?"
"What else was there to do?" he pulled with all ner strength at the reins, and, at once, he stopped.

None too soon! Great drops of rain had begun to fall, but the girl did not notice them. The white line alone riveted her attention! It seemed to the fire "But the tide was rushing in—rushing! it

regrand the coming up beams on the fall on the sand, the sangery verge of the storm, faster than any horse could gallop, would overtake them midway. And Saladin seemed to know it also; beneath her, he trembled. Yet must they try, she

that drew back as her own look cleared. At a respectful distance he now stood, his bearing at once erect and buoyant, and more curiously she regarded him. A distinct type, here pride and intelligence stamped them-selves strongly on the dark, handsome features; courage and daring were written on the hold self-reliant brow And with this realization of something distinctive, compelling, in his personality, came another.

"I have seen you—spoken with you before! On the beach—the night of the dance!'

The young man turned. "Your Ladyship so far honored me—as to dance with me!" he said, in his eyes a touch of that brightness that had caused her to regard him imperiously, as he had swung her to the measure of the music, on the occasion in ques-

"Started to!" She corrected him straightening suddenly at the recollec-tion of that evening, when humility and modesty were virtues conspicu ind modesty were virtues conspicu-issly wanting in his demeanor. "Your Ladyship is right," he said tietly. "An alarm from the Mount

She glanced at him quickly. His eyes met hers with a look of uncon-

"Are you-a fisherman?" she asked

arruptly.
"On occasions."
"And when you are not one—what are you then?"
"At times—a hunter."
"Ah!" Her eye lingered on some thing bright on the ledge beneath the window. "And that is the reason you

have—pistols?"
"Exactly, my Lady!" She continued to regard the weapons, of finest workmanship, in-laid with a metal that gleamed dully, like gold, in the light from the fire. His glance followed hers; she was about to speak, when quickly he inter

rupted.
"Has your Ladyship thought how she is going to get back to the My lady's questioning, along the line of personal inquiry, ceased; the Gov ernor's daughter looked a little blank

'No-that is, haven't you a boat?' "Not here."
"Then you walked over?"

He neither affirmed, nor denied. "And the tide will not be out for hours!" Her look showed consternation; she glanced toward the opening in the wall. "Isn't it becoming dark now?"

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"Yes, my Lady."
"Of course, it was almost sundown when—But I must return at once! Don't you understand?" He regarded her silently; the beau-tiful, impatient eyes; the slim, white

fingers that tapped restlessly, one against another. "I will do what I can!" he said at last slowly.
"But what?" she demanded. "What He did not answer: my lady made a

"There may be a way," he began.
"My horse?" she said quickly "Wh

"He was swept away by the tide!" Into the proud eyes came a softer "Your Ladyship should remember it might have been worse," he added, in

"I can understand caring for a ship!" he answered quickly, a flash of amusement, hardly concealed, in his bold, dark eyes.

bold, dark eyes.

"A ship!" scornfully; "dead wood and iron."

"Live wood and iron! Beautiful as—" The simile failed him; he looked at my lady. "Something to be depended on, with a hand to the wheel, and an eye keen for mad dancines and curvetings." ings and curvetings."

"I might appreciate them better," she interrupted dryly, with delicate brows uplifted, "if they brought me nearer to the Mount. That, and not idle opinions," in accents that conveyed surprise at the temerity of one in his position to express them, "is of most moment!"

He accepted the reproof with a readiness that further surprised her. "Your Ladyship is right," he said. "I will see what may be done. The storm has passed. There is yet daylight, and—" an expression, almost preoccupied, came to his features—"a boat

may be sighted."
"To be sure!" At the prospect, all other considerations passed from my lady's mind. "A boat may be sighted! Why did you not think of it before? Come! Too much time has already been lost." And she rose. "One moment!" His voice was quiet; respectful; although, she fancied, constrained. "I had better go

"I shall not mind that!"
"Besides, your clothes—"
"Are dry!" "No!" She flushed at the abrupt com-

tradiction. "I mean, I don't see how they could be!" he went on hurriedly, "and," his tone assumed a certain obskirt; it was damp and warm; "I suppose this is the island of Casque?"

will be best."

wish to alarm you. But this is a rough coast, with—many rough people about -smugglers, privateersmen "Whom you, perhaps, are expect-ing?" she cried suddenly. "I!" with a careless laugh. "A fish-

know," he spoke slowly. "I did not

erman! Your Ladyship is imagina tive-" he began, when a sudden,

light. And at the picture—her figure behind that other one—the fine, patrician features, framed by the disor-"Your Ladyship is no coward!" he interrupted, a sparkle in his eyes. "When you turned the horse toward the tide, I was watching; hoping you would dree and you did!" eyes, bright, expectant, the intruder started back.
"The Governor's daughter! You, Seigneur!" he stammered, and, rais-

ing his hand, involuntarily crossed

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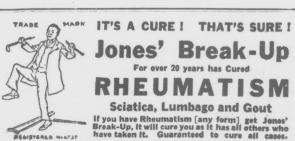
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